

Central Intelligence Agency



Washington, D. C. 20505

13 April 1984

The Honorable W. Glenn Campbell  
Chairman, President's Intelligence  
Oversight Board  
Old Executive Office Building  
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. Chairman:

This letter constitutes our periodic report to the President's Intelligence Oversight Board in accordance with Executive Order 12334. It covers the period 16 January 1984 to 15 April 1984.

In our previous report, we noted that pursuant to our inspection of Agency Compliance with Executive Order 12333, we are expanding our Audit Staff's capability to conduct systematic, ongoing reviews of selected Executive Order compliance issues. We have made progress on this front and will shortly field audit teams at a number of overseas posts and domestic sites with instructions to pursue Executive Order issues. While some refinements in our approach to this task will almost certainly be made, this new activity will significantly improve our confidence that we are in compliance with Executive Order 12333.

Over the course of the past year, we have significantly revised the process by which we conduct our program of periodic component inspections. Key to our new approach has been an insistence on rigorous scheduling within a four-month time cycle. Certain staffing changes have also helped facilitate this somewhat more structured process. We recently completed the first round of inspection reports done within this new framework and will shortly be forwarding them to the Director of Central Intelligence for his review.

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The House  
Select Committee (HPSCI) was briefed on 31 January and on  
27 March 1984. You might be interested in the additional facts 25X1  
we have shared internally with our employees as set forth in  
the enclosed notice.

Sincerely,

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James H. Taylor  
Inspector General

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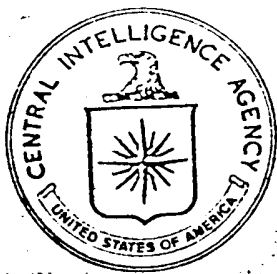
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# EMPLOYEE BULLETIN

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12 April 1984

## RECENT PRESS ARTICLES

1. Knowing that all Agency employees are interested in a number of recent press articles saying that the Agency had not briefed Congress on covert action programs in Central America, it is important for all of us to know the facts.

2. What you may have read in the press on this subject is not true. In accordance with prevailing practice, the Agency did indeed brief our two Oversight Committees on the matters discussed in the press during this week. In particular:

a. We briefed the members of the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence (HPSCI) on 31 January and 27 March 1984;

b. We briefed the members of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence (SSCI) on 8 March and again on 13 March 1984;

c. In addition, we responded to specific detailed questions on these activities to individual Senators on 28 and 30 March, and briefed the SSCI staff members in detail on 2 April 1984;

d. Also, we have over the past several months replied in writing to written questions on this activity from the SSCI and the HPSCI.

3. In sum, we have fully met all statutory requirements for notifying our Intelligence Oversight Committees of the covert action program in Nicaragua. This Agency has not only complied with the letter of the law in our briefings, but with the spirit of the law as well.

*William J. Casey*  
William J. Casey  
Director of Central Intelligence

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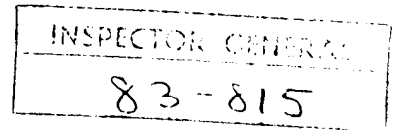
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17 October 1983

The Honorable W. Glenn Campbell  
Chairman, President's Intelligence  
Oversight Board  
Old Executive Office Building  
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. Chairman:

This letter constitutes our periodic report to the President's Intelligence Oversight Board in accordance with Executive Order 12334. It covers the period 16 July through 15 October 1983.

Our inspection of "Agency Compliance with Executive Order 12333" is nearly complete and ready for forwarding to the Director of Central Intelligence for his review. To summarize briefly a quite comprehensive document dealing with many complex issues, we found no compliance problems other than of a technical nature. We have made a number of small but significant suggestions for improvements in procedures and guidance.

We have nearly completed an inspection of the Agency's Office of Finance. The report will be forwarded to the Director for his review shortly. No issues of a compliance nature arose in connection with this inspection. There are, however, a number of recommendations for management improvements.

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**Sincerely,**

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**James H. Taylor**  
**Inspector General**

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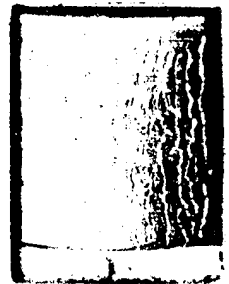
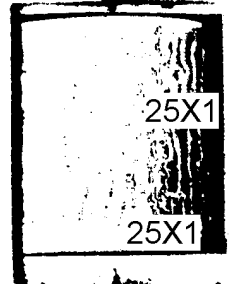
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## CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20505

General Counsel

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27 July 1983

The Honorable W. Glenn Campbell  
Chairman, President's Intelligence  
Oversight Board  
Old Executive Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Chairman:

In accordance with previous practice, I have reviewed the intelligence activities that have been brought to my attention during April 16, 1983 through July 15, 1983 and submit this report pursuant to Executive Order 12334. [REDACTED]

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First, I hope that the Board found its visit to the Agency on July 12 to be useful and informative. It is my view and the view of senior Agency management as well that close cooperation and open communication with the Board are essential. [REDACTED]

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20 JAN 1984

The Honorable W. Glenn Campbell  
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Oversight Board  
Old Executive Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Chairman:

This letter constitutes our periodic report to the President's Intelligence Oversight Board in accordance with Executive Order 12334. It covers the period 16 October 1983 through 15 January 1984.

As a follow-on to the inspection of the Agency's compliance with Executive Order 12333, we are now in the process of developing a procedure which will enable our Agency Audit Staff to conduct a systematic ongoing review of certain aspects of Agency compliance with the Executive Order.

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An inspection report of the Agency's Office of Finance has been completed and is currently being reviewed by senior Agency management. As noted in our previous quarterly report, all of the recommendations contained in the inspection report were directed at achieving Agency management improvements.

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During the month of December, the Agency submitted its first annual report to the President as required by the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act of 1982. Based upon a review of regular inspections conducted of Agency components, the completion of 103 audits, and certifications received from each senior manager of the Agency, the Director has certified that the Agency's internal control system is operating effectively and that the Agency is in substantial compliance with the Act. Copies of this certification were also provided to our two oversight committees.

Sincerely,

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James H. Taylor  
Inspector General

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